

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

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TRANSPORTATION DEPT: Prohibits state monies from being used to pay for state highway designations in honor or memory of a person or event

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 48:191.1, relative to state highway designations in memory or honor of a  
3 person or event; to prohibit the use of state monies for certain highway designations;  
4 to provide relative to the use of local funds for such signage; and to provide for  
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 48:191.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §191.1. State funding prohibition; state highway designations

9 The Department of Transportation and Development or its contractors shall  
10 not utilize state monies to erect or maintain signage indicating state highway  
11 designations in honor or memory of a person or event. Nothing in this Section shall  
12 prohibit the department from receiving assistance, in monies or in kind, from a  
13 governing authority seeking to erect or maintain such signage.

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DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Prohibits the Dept. of Transportation and Development or its contractors from using state monies to erect and maintain signage indicating state highway designations in honor or in memory of a person or event.

Proposed law prohibits state monies from being utilized to pay for the erecting and maintenance of signage indicating state highway designations in honor or in memory of a person or event.

Proposed law specifies that nothing in proposed law prevents the department from receiving assistance, in monies or in kind, from governing authorities seeking to erect or maintain such signage.

(Adds R.S. 48:191.1)